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In re Application of:)	PATENT
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Susan WATKINS et al.)	GROUP: 3765
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Serial No.: 10/815,677)	EXAMINER: Gary L. WELCH
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Filed: April 2, 2004)	CUSTOMER NO.: 25269
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FIRE PROTECTIVE COAT WITH FREE- HANGING THROAT TAB)	CONFIRMATION NO.: 9783

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

March 23, 2005

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 23, 2004, please
amend this application as follows: